

Application No. 10/562,517  
Responsive to Office Action dated August 22, 2008  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/562,517  
Applicants : HOWARD, Dr. James R.  
Filed : June 30, 2006  
Title : Composition for the Treatment of Dysfunctional  
Energy Metabolism Syndrome  
Group Art Unit : 1612  
Examiner : Sriram Kasturi  
Customer No. : 76809



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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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